

LOCAL MENTION

Millet Seed at Klein's.
Stock Peas at Klein's.
Screen Wire at Klein's.
Shelled Nuts at Klein's.
Barrel and Sack Salt at Klein's.

J. F. Karsch was a St. Louis visitor the last of the week.

Bernard Harter has been confined to his bed the past week.

Terry Chandler left Tuesday for the Kansas harvest fields.

Bert Byington went to St. Louis Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. John Gall has been quite ill, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Emma Munsch, of St. Louis, is visiting Mrs. L. N. Mackley.

Ernest Holland, of Poplar Bluff, is the guest of Harold Williams.

Will Tetley made a business trip to St. Louis the first of the week.

Frank Seitz drove to Ste. Genevieve Sunday for a visit with old home folks.

J. C. Harrelson left Wednesday for Benton, Ill., where he will visit relatives.

J. F. Hicks left Tuesday for Detroit, Mich., where he hopes to secure employment.

Raymond Pepin left yesterday for Hastings, Neb., to work in the harvest fields.

Miss Jessamine Haille left Monday for Cape Girardeau to attend Teachers' College.

Miss Ethel McDaniel, of St. Louis, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Myrtle Batson.

Mrs. H. Nugent spent Monday in Fredericktown visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Smith.

Clint Denman, editor of the Skeston Herald, spent Tuesday with his wife, who is visiting here.

Miss Ruby Sutton, public librarian, was confined to her home Monday and Tuesday by sickness.

Miss Ruth Hunt was the guest Saturday and Sunday of Miss Grace Hubbard at DeLassus.

Miss Georgie Edwards left Tuesday for Cape Girardeau, where she will attend Teachers' College.

Mrs. Perry Holman left Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week with her husband in Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woods and two children, of Caledonia, are visiting Mrs. Ida Carver and family.

Miss Orpha Cox returned Monday from St. Louis, where she spent a few days with her brothers.

Mrs. Hattie McDaniel left Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. K. Appleberry, at Bonne Terre.

Mr. and Mrs. John Manley, of Flat River, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. John Spurgeon, Sunday.

A new daughter made her appearance Tuesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Zolman.

I have an expert shoemaker now in my shop, whose work I guarantee to please you.—Johnson Shoe Shop.

Mrs. S. C. Watts returned Tuesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. S. Stubbs, and family at Blodgett.

Lee Ramsey, cashier of the St. Francois County Bank, visited Fredericktown friends Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Pearl Yates left Wednesday for Sheridan, Ill., for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brewen and children, of Flat River, spent Sunday with Mrs. Brewen's mother, Mrs. J. F. Hicks.

Three men were brought in Wednesday evening from the Lead Belt and lodged in Hotel Hunt, charged with bootlegging.

Miss Audrey Horn, who has spent several weeks with old home folks, returns today to her work in St. Luke's hospital, St. Louis.

Misses Eugene Reeves and Bertha Lange, of Desloge, returned home Tuesday after a week's visit with Miss Libby Munsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Neal, of Wesson, Ark., are expected here today for an indefinite visit with Mrs. Pete Galer and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vince DeDonato returned Sunday to their home in St. Louis, after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson.

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Miss Ethel Burgess entertained her Sunday school class Thursday evening of last week at the home of her parents, in honor of their school teacher, Miss Nellie Halter. It was a farewell party, Miss Halter leaving Sunday for St. Louis, where she is attending school.

For Oil Cook Stoves, see Jacob Helber before you buy. We sell the best the market affords—the "Boss" and "Perfect". We have all kinds of ovens and baking pans made specially for them, in granite, Russian iron and tin—shallow and deep, for all kinds of baking.

Rev. L. R. King, pastor of the Presbyterian church, left Tuesday to join his wife and children in their former home in McCredie, Calloway county. He will remain with his wife during an operation she expects to undergo, and will be absent from this charge about a month.

Dr. B. J. Robinson has returned from the Bonne Terre hospital very much improved. While he has as yet not again entered into active practice, his many friends will be gratified to know that he is rapidly recovering and will soon be in condition to resume work again at his usual high pressure.

Ed Bellam, a former resident of the Lead Belt, who recently purchased the Wm. Good property on East Columbia street, was arrested Monday in Iron county. Sheriff Hunt received a telephone message stating that Bellam had been arrested for impersonating an officer and carrying a pistol.

Mrs. Nellie Marbury, who recently underwent a serious operation in a St. Louis hospital, and who since being discharged from that institution has been visiting with a sister in the city, went to Festus Monday to visit another sister, where she hopes to entirely recuperate before returning to her home here.

M. S. Richards, the efficient and accommodating deputy postmaster, was operated on Monday in St. Luke's hospital, St. Louis, for inward going. The first report was that the operation was successful, but the next information was he was not recovering from the after effects so well as hoped for. But the latest information yesterday was that he was doing nicely.

Mrs. R. Fugate had the misfortune of breaking her right hip about 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, when she fell on the cement steps leading up to the front steps at her home on Liberty street. While the fall was not far, there being but two steps, she struck on the sharp edge and sustained a serious injury, especially for one of her advanced age—82 years.

She was taken to the Bonne Terre hospital the same night for treatment, and her many friends hope she will soon entirely recover from her injury.

The Times is in receipt of a copy of The Polk County Observer, published at Dallas, Oregon, by our good friend, E. A. Koen. The Observer is overflowing with advertising, and yet it carries a front page notice that six advertisements had been left out owing to the fact that they were not received until Thursday morning. Another interesting front page story is headed as follows: "Fruit Prices Are Low—Strawberries Selling for \$1 a Crate—Early Cherries Ripe but Finding a Poor Sale—Offered at 3c a Pound on the Trees." My, but we wish this town and that were closer together.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McFarland, of Noblesville, Ind., are returning to their home after a two weeks vacation spent at the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Martin, two miles south of Farmington. Will McFarland, of Detroit, Mich., is also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Martin and he will return to his work in Detroit some time the first of the week. These two boys are both Farmington boys but have located elsewhere. Clarence being employed by the Noblesville Heat, Light & Power Co., of Noblesville, as new business manager, and Will as chief electrician with the Smet Solva Co., of Detroit, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are parents of these boys.

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A DEMONSTRATION of NEW PERFECTION OIL STOVES AND OVENS

will be held at our store

Monday, June 27th

This demonstration will be conducted by Mr. Snow, who comes direct from the factory. We cordially invite you to come in and see these stoves in operation—no smoke—no odor—perfect baking.

HOT BISCUITS WILL BE SERVED

Aladdin Cooking Utensils

Remember the date—Monday, June 27th

Farmington Hardware Co.

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A SURPRISE FOR HARRY

On last Friday evening when Harry Miller and his father, Geo. A. Miller, went down to the office of the Ozark Business College, apparently to do some letter writing, etc., they were surprised to find the L. O. O. hall lighted and quite a few people congregated up there. After wondering about it for a few minutes, they decided to go up and take a peek. To Harry's surprise, when they reached the top of the stairs a bunch of the O. B. C. students met him and announced that he was very welcome to his party, which was given to show the students' appreciation of Harry who won the State Championship in the typewriting contest held in St. Louis last week.

This contest has been held for 16 years, and Harry is the first Missouriian to be a "winner". In view of that fact, the students of the College, and the people of Farmington are very proud of him.

Games were played during the evening, and at 11 o'clock delightful refreshments were served in the L. O. O. dining room to about fifty people, all of whom are students, and former students, of the O. B. C.

NEW STUDIO

The new photographic studio in the music store is now open and ready for business.

The equipment is the most modern and pictures are made entirely independent of the weather. Cloudy days are just as good as bright days.

Besides high grade portrait work, the studio is equipped for finishing kodak films.

You are invited to call and inspect the studio and examine samples of the work done there.

BE PHOTOGRAPHED THIS YEAR ON YOUR BIRTHDAY.

SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

Baptist Church

John J. Schuler, Pastor.
Come to the Bible school next Sunday at 9:30 a. m., and help to make our attendance at least 150. Will you be one?

Preaching service at 11 a. m. Subject: "The Growing Tree."

B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m.

Evening service at 8 p. m. Subject: "The Mountain Top Scene."

Weekly prayer and Bible study, Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Baptismal service at the close of the evening meeting.

You are invited to any of our services.

Lutheran Church

H. Hallberg, Pastor.

Annual Mission Festival.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Morning service at 10:30. Sermon by the Rev. E. C. Hofius, of St. Louis.

Afternoon service at 2:30. Sermon by the Rev. T. Laetach, of St. Louis.

Illustrated lecture in the evening at 7:30. Subject: "The History and Work of the Missouri Synod."

A cordial welcome to all.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Prepared by McAtee Produce Co.

Who are Paying the Following Prices Today:

Eggs, per dozen	21c
Hens, per lb.	16c
Old Geese, per lb.	4c
Ducks, per lb.	12c
Stags, per lb.	15c
Chickens, per lb.	15c
Spring Chickens, per lb.	16c
1 1/2 lb Spring Chickens	24c
Spring Chickens, 2 lbs, per lb.	28c
Lard, per lb.	11c
Guineas, each	25c
Turkeys, per lb.	20c
Tom Turkeys, per lb.	20c
Bacon, per lb.	12 1/2c
Hams, per lb.	20c to 22c
Shoulders, per lb.	10c
New Potatoes, per bushel	\$1.00
Muscovy Ducks	15c
Hides, per lb.	2c
Rags, per 100 lbs.	20c
Lard, per lb.	11c
Good Butter, per lb.	15c and 16c
Packing Butter, per lb.	12c
Rubber, per lb.	1c
Zinc, per lb.	2c
Iron, per 100 lbs.	20c
Aluminum, per lb.	10c
Isner Tubes, per 100 lbs.	20c

WOMACK

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hill were called to Yount the past week on account of the illness of their daughter, Mrs. John Thomson.

W. J. Hines was in Fredericktown last Thursday.

Mrs. W. J. Angel was the guest of relatives near Mine La Motte over Sunday.

Mrs. Claud Lincoln and children, of Flat River, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tesreau, here the past week.

Mrs. Jeff Lewis and children, of near Libertyville, were guests of friends here over Wednesday night.

Elijah Warren was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Baldwin of near Higdon, the past week.

Miss Iva Sands, of near Libertyville, was guest of her mother, Mrs. Frank Sands, over Wednesday night.

Gladys Whitworth, of Fredericktown, was guest of her aunt, Mrs. Arthur Womack, the past week.

Okah and Verda Womack visited their aunt, Mrs. Pearl Pope, at Fredericktown last Thursday.

Mrs. W. J. Hines and son, Willard, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Womack, near Libertyville on last Thursday.

Mrs. N. C. Moore was guest of her brother, E. J. Womack, and family, near Yount Sunday.

Corena Lenz, of Fredericktown, was guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lenz, Sunday.

Mabel Gamblin and Ulvie Dean, of Flat River, were guests of relatives here over Sunday.

John Hines went to Fredericktown on Saturday and came home sick, but we are glad to report that he is better.

Mrs. Henry King and family of near Libertyville, attended the ice cream social here Saturday night.

Harry Leigh left on Monday for St. Louis to join Wm. P. King, and from there to Kansas to harvest.

Josie and Gladys Pirtle, of near Mine La Motte, were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Frank Sands, on Saturday.

Elijah Warren was the guest of friends near Barks Sunday.

Rev. McGehee, Rev. Andrews and Prof. Denke, of Fredericktown, were here Saturday night and Sunday.

While attending a ball game last Sunday, Lee Kearns got badly hurt. The bat flew from Mertie Crews' hands and struck Lee on the nose.

Mrs. T. H. Ellis, of Libertyville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDuffy, the past week.

Arval King and sisters, of Cross Roads, attended church here on Sunday.

Henry Tesreau was a business visitor in Farmington Friday.

Lloyd Umfleet, of Libertyville, attended the ice cream social here Saturday night.

The ice cream social at the M. E. church was well attended, the net proceeds amounting to something over seven dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe McDowell and daughter, Ethel, and Mrs. Mertie Crews were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDowell, at French Mills over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Biri, Perry and Guy Haney, of Avon, attended the ice cream social here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Beard of Farmington were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Beard, last Friday.

Dr. Barber, of Fredericktown, was called here on last Monday to see the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Lenz, who was taken suddenly ill.

Leon Womack killed a rattlesnake on last Monday that measured over 3 feet in length and had 8 rattles and a button.

Opal Winters, of Fredericktown, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winters, Saturday night.

Johnnie Tesreau, of Avon, visited his parents here Saturday night.

We are glad to report that Thos. Sechrist, who has been sick the past four weeks, is improving.

Leon Womack has a valuable dog on last Monday.

Tina Lewis and twin babies, of St. Louis, has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wright, the past week.

Mabel Barker, of Fredericktown, spent the week-end with her parents here.

LIVES WITH BULLET IN HEART



Bullets don't always kill. For instance, Charles Baker, English soldier in the Turkish campaign in the world war had a one and one-half inch bullet imbedded in his heart five years ago. Here he stands today, a living marvel before the x-ray as physicians look at the bullet and fail to explain how he can enjoy perfect health.



Uncle John's Poem

THE WEALTH OF A SMILING FACE

Did you ever think of the magic that lurks in the pleasant smile? Hain't you seen it disguise the tragic—that comes to us once in a while? Why, it even disarms suspicion—it comforts an' reassures, an' there's many a painful condition, that we know it speedily cures.

The baby smiles at her kitten—in a minnit it starts to purr. The feller is seldom bitten that smiles at the angry cur. I don't know how to explain it, this joy in life's stern chase—but it's worth a world's o' obtain it—the wealth of a smiling face.

I s'pose there's some that ignore it, an' some that's inclined to scoff—these fellers that never have wore it—the smile that can never come off. But I know I'm right in insistin', which I've knowed fer a long, long while, that there simply ain't no resistin' the meltin' power of a smile.

Yr. own Uncle John.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Simpson, of Libertyville, spent Sunday afternoon here.

Odus Loughary and Harry Leigh left Monday for St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pirtle are the proud parents of a baby girl, born June 14th.

Miss Anna Meredith spent the week-end with her parents here.

Several from here attended the ice cream social at Womack last Saturday night.

Mrs. Tinsley, of Castor, spent the week-end with her father, A. J. Kennon, and family.

Lloyd Ferguson, of near Farmington, spent Sunday afternoon here.

Mrs. Umfleet and children, of Flat River, spent the past week here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Crabbe, of family, of Flat River, spent here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loughary.

Dr. Barber, of Fredericktown, passed through here several days the past week, enroute to Womack.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Meredith, Mrs. Jos. Vessels and Gus Vessels and Wm. Lenz spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lenz and daughter, Orville King and sister, Oliver Loughary, Stella and Hazel Kennon, Harvey and Effie Meredith attended the ice cream social at Womack last Saturday night.

Aaron Tucker spent Saturday afternoon at Womack.

Mrs. Gus Holliday has returned home from Elvins.